

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as shown in the following Listing of Claims.

1. **(currently amended)** Plant container comprising:
a pot (1) and a coaster (20) made of plastic;
wherein the coaster (2) is closed at the bottom and serves as a water dish detachably attached by coupling elements to the pot (1);
wherein the pot is provided with holes on the bottom for drainage of water from the pot to the coaster;
wherein the pot (1) has a dome (8) in the form of a truncated cone forming a guide surface (9) tapering in conical shape;
wherein the guide surface of the pot is aligned rotationally symmetrical about a central axis of symmetry of the pot;
wherein the coaster (2) has a dome (14) in the form of a truncated cone forming a guide surface (16) tapering in conical shape;
wherein the guide surface of the coaster is aligned rotationally symmetrical about a central axis of symmetry of the coaster;
wherein the guide surface of the coaster is engaged with the guide surface of the pot so that the central axis of symmetry of the coaster is both aligned and parallel with the central axis of symmetry of the pot and the coaster is rotatable relative to the pot about the central axis of symmetry of the pot;
wherein the coupling elements (11, 15) include a plurality of openings spaced about the central axis of symmetry of the pot and a plurality of hooks cooperating with the openings to form a bayonet-type coupling connection so that;
wherein each of the hooks can be axially inserted and withdrawn from a first portion of the openings and rotated about the central axis of symmetry of the pot from the first portion of the openings to a second portion of the openings from which the hooks cannot be axially withdrawn to couple the coaster and the pot against relative axial movement therebetween; and
wherein the coaster (2) and the pot (1) are attached by axially moving the coaster relative to the pot until the guide surface of the coaster engages the guide surface of the pot so that the central axis of symmetry of the coaster is both aligned and parallel with the central axis of symmetry of the pot and the hooks are extending through the first portions of the openings and then mutually twisting via rotational movement of the coaster relative to and the pot about

the central axis of symmetry of the pot to rotate the hooks to the second portions of the openings and couple the coaster and the pot against relative axial movement therebetween.

2. **(cancelled)**

3. **(previously presented)** Plant container according to Claim 1, wherein the domes (8, 14) are provided with the coupling elements (11, 15).

4. **(cancelled)**

5. **(currently amended)** Plant container according to Claim 1, wherein the coupling elements are designed in the form of the hooks (15) on the coaster and the openings (11) in the pot.

6. **(previously presented)** Plant container according to Claim 5, wherein the hooks (15) are designed so that they protrude upward on an end face of the dome of the coaster (2) and the openings (11) are provided in an end face (10) of the dome of the pot (1), the hooks (15) engaging the openings in coupling engagement with mutual rotation.

7. **(previously presented)** Plant container according to Claim 6, wherein the hooks (15) have a hook mouth (18) pointing in the radial direction on at least one side.

8. **(previously presented)** Plant container according to Claim 7, wherein the openings (11) are designed with a width that narrows in the direction of rotation in the manner of a keyhole.

9. **(cancelled)**

10. **(currently amended)** Plant container according to Claim 8, wherein the coupling elements are secured by catch elements (24) having inclined edges engaged by the hooks to secure the hooks in the second portion of the openings.

11. **(previously presented)** Plant container according to Claim 10, wherein the dome (14) of the coaster protrudes upward above an edge (12) of the coaster.

12. **(previously presented)** Plant container according to Claim 11, wherein the coaster (2) is provided with at least one spacer element (17) with respect to the pot (1).

13. **(previously presented)** Plant container according to Claim 12, wherein the spacer element (17) is designed with a ring shape in the coaster (2).

14. **(previously presented)** Plant container according to Claim 13, wherein the spacer element includes an interrupted row of ring sections (33).

15. **(previously presented)** Plant container according to Claim 13, wherein the spacer element (33) includes a hollow rib which is open at the bottom and whose hollow space is subdivided by at least one web.

16. **(cancelled)**

17. **(cancelled)**

18. **(currently amended)** Plant container according to Claim 1, wherein the coupling elements are secured by catch elements (24) having inclined edges engaged by the hooks to secure the hooks in the second portion of the openings.

19. **(previously presented)** Plant container according to Claim 1, wherein the dome (14) of the coaster protrudes upward above an edge (12) of the coaster.

20. **(previously presented)** Plant container according to Claim 1, wherein the coaster (2) is provided with at least one spacer element (17) with respect to the pot (1).

21. **(cancelled)**

22. **(previously presented)** Plant container according to Claim 21, wherein the openings (11) are designed with a width that narrows in the direction of rotation in the manner of a keyhole.

23. (**cancelled**)

24. (**cancelled**)